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NEWS RELEASE

TO: Area Media Outlets
FROM: Dominic Smith
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RE: **H1N1 Vaccination Clinic at Pinconning Middle School**
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Bay County Health Department will hold an H1N1 Influenza vaccination clinic **Saturday, November 7, 2009, from 9:00am to 12:00pm, at Pinconning High School, located at 605 West 5th Street in Pinconning.** Individuals will be served on a first come, first serve basis. Bay County Health Department is prioritizing H1N1 vaccinations for individuals recommended it to receive it as follows:

- Pregnant women,
- Persons who live with or provide care for infants less than six months of age (e.g.) parents, siblings, and daycare providers,
- Healthcare and emergency medical services personnel,
- Persons aged 6 months to 24 years, and
- Persons ages 25-64 who have medical conditions that put them at higher risk for influenza-related complications.

NasalFlu Mist vaccine will be administered unless specific illnesses or conditions prevent its use. The injections will ONLY be given to those who cannot take the flu mist nasal spray.

Please visit Bay County Health Department's website at **www.baycounty-mi.gov/Health** or call our Health Information Line at **(989) 895-4192** for up-to-date information regarding H1N1 vaccine.

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